IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF NEW MEXICO

COMMISSIONERS OF OTERO COUNTY, NEW MEXICO,)) civ No. 2:12-cv-00462-JAP-CEG
Petitioner,)
v.)
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF)
INTERIOR BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT, NEW MEXICO STATE))
OFFICE)
Respondents.)

ORDER GRANTING PETITIONER BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF OTERO COUNTY'S MOTION TO EXTEND TIME TO RESPOND TO RESPONDENT'S MOTION TO STAY THE STATE COURT'S APRIL 26, 2012 "PRELIMINARY ORDER OF ENTRY"

THIS MATTER having come before the Court on Petitioner Board of County Commissioners of Otero County's Motion to Extend Time to Respond to Respondent's Motion to Stay the State Court's April 26, 2012 "Preliminary Order of Entry", (Doc. 21), and the Court having reviewed the pleadings and being noticed that the Respondent, United States of America, does not oppose the relief sought in the Motion, FINDS that the Motion is well taken and shall be GRANTED.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the Board of County Commissioners of Otero County's Response to the Respondent's Motion to Stay the State Court's April 26, 2012 "Preliminary Order of Entry" will be due on or before July 24, 2012.

THE HONORABLE CARMEN E. GARZA UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

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